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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EAID, GW, XM

SUBJECT: GERMANY AND IDB

1. STATE SECRETARY SOHN AND MOLTRECHT (ECONOMIC COOPERATION MINISTRY) TOLD MEMBERS USADB DELEGATION THAT FRG COULD NOT, FOR BUDGETARY REASONS, CONTRIBUTE MORE THAN \$66 MILLION TO FSO. THEY HAVE URGED JAPANESE DELEGATION HERE IN BONN FOR ADB MEETING TO MAINTAIN THEIR \$100 MILLION TARGET. MOLTRECHT URGED ACCEPTANCE OF LOWER LEVELS NON-REGIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS IN ORDER TO LOCK IN NON-REGIONAL PARTICIPATION, THEN GET MORE SATISFACTORY LEVELS IN NEXT REPLENISHMENT.

2. US OFFICIALS INDICATED THAT TARGETS SET FOR CASH CONTRIBUTIONS BY NON-REGIONALS WERE REPORTED AS FIRM MINIMUMS BY BOTH U.S. AND LATINS AND CAUTIONED THAT FAILURE TO MEET THESE MINIMUMS LIKELY TO JEOPARDIZE AGREEMENT FOR NON-REGIONAL MEMBERSHIP IN BANK.

3. GERMANS EMPHASIZED CURRENT POLITICAL DIFFICULTIES IN FRG CONCERNING CHILE, AND ASSERTED THAT IDB LENDING TO CHILE AT THIS TIME, AND PARTICULARLY IN ADVANCE OF A PARIS CLUB DEBT RESCHEDULING (SEE SEPTTEL), WOULD RAISE

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SERIOUS POLITICAL PRESSURES WITHIN SPD AGAINST FRG PAR-

TICIPATION IN IDB.

4. IN SEPARATE CONVERSATION WITH USDEL, SOHN INDICATED  
HE WOULD BE REVIEWING IDB QUESTION AGAIN NEXT WEEK,  
TAKING INTO ACCOUNT USDEL EXPLANATION OF RATIONALE FOR  
CREATION SEPARATE CATEGORY OF IDB STOCK, WHICH APPARENTLY  
HAD NOT BEEN WELL UNDERSTOOD BY HIM.  
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